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Dear Sir:

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Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2000-118280 and 2003-80985.

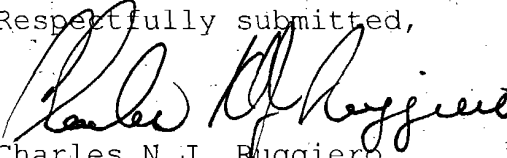
It should be understood that attention has been called to the citations that have been deemed to be pertinent to the claimed present invention. In concluding what was pertinent, the criteria employed was considered most appropriate in light of the invention shown in the present application. However, the

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Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and that this application be passed to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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